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Applicants : Michael J. Yellin et al.  
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For : THERAPEUTIC APPLICATIONS FOR THE ANTI-T-BAM  
(CD40-L) MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY 5c8 IN THE  
TREATMENT OF CHRONIC INFLAMMATORY DISEASE

New York, New York  
April 11, 2000

Hon. Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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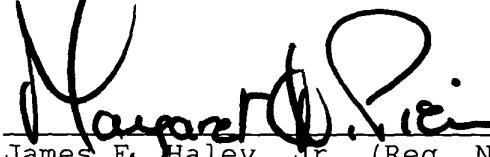
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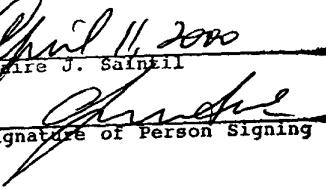
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